

Sedalia Evening Democrat.

NEW SERIES.

SEDALIA, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1892.

PRICE, FIVE CENTS.

SATURDAY'S RACES.

THEY WILL TROT FOR THE CITY HOSPITAL FUND

The Best Horses in This Part of the State Will Enter—Be Sure and Go.

Mayor Stevens has succeeded in definitely arranging the time of the matinee races for the benefit of the city hospital fund as announced in yesterday's DEMOCRAT.

The horses and their trainers are just on the eve of their departure for the different racing circuits of the country, and are in the best of condition. The training stables for the past two months or more have been a sight of interest as the different horses were driven and ridden against each other in the trial races. The old fair ground track, one of the best half-mile courses to be found anywhere in the state, will be used, as the kite track is not yet completed.

The most important race will be between "Telegram," 2:14, and "Blazeberry," 2:19 1/4. These horses have a crack reputation throughout the state. They have made records that indicate a lively time whenever the blankets are taken off. That prince of trainers, Sam Fuller, expects to hold the reins over "Telegram."

The other races will be made up by horses taken from the racing stables of Sam Fuller, Sedalia; H. C. Fox, Paris, Mo.; Sam Gilman, Sedalia; F. J. Culler, Tipton; B. F. Holway, Sedalia; Ben Swagart, Sweet Springs.

As stated above, the races are for the benefit of the city hospital fund. The ladies who have this noble public institution in charge have labored long and earnestly for its completion. Much money has already been made by their untiring energy and there is now no question that it will be built. It will be an ornament to the architecture of Sedalia and a place that will ever redound to the charity and the benevolence of our citizens.

The first race will be called at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Missouri Pacific shops will close down at the noon hour. General Superintendent J. J. Frey has been requested to allow the same privilege to the M., K. & T. shops.

There will be seven or eight rattling races consisting of trotters, runners and pacers. In this way everybody will be fully satisfied.

The price of admission is but 25 cents, a small amount, and the grand stand should be filled to overflowing. This is not only a case where you assist a worthy cause, but also get more than your money's worth in the bargain.

The races will be decided by the best two heats in three.

Deeds in Dirt.

Following are to-day's real estate transfers:

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, n 1/2 of ne 1/4 of sec. 4, twp. 47, range 20. Price \$700.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, n 1/2 of s 1/2 of ne 1/4, sec. 4, twp. 47, range 20. Price \$400.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, n 1/2 of nw 1/4, sec. 3, twp. 47, range 20. Price \$500.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, w 1/2 of se 1/4, sec. 33, twp. 28, range 20. Price \$300.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, e 1/2 of sw 1/4, sec. 24, twp. 48, range 20. Price \$200.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, n 1/2 of nw 1/4 of se 1/4, sec. 24, twp. 48, range 40. Price \$100.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, w 1/2 of se 1/4, sec. 34, twp. 48, range 20. Price \$500.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, e 1/2 of se 1/4, sec. 33, twp. 28, range 40. Price \$600.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, e 1/2 of sw 1/4, sec. 34, twp. 48, range 20. Price \$800.

Peter Hay to J. N. Newkirk, n 1/2 of nw 1/4 of se 1/4, sec. 34, twp. 48, range 20. Price, \$200.

Samuel Shanks and wife to David Shanks, 180 acres, sec. 32, twp. 48, range 23. Price, \$5,400.

J. H. Mertz and wife to Louis Bringes, lot 11, block 2, McClure's addition. Price, \$750.

Daubs of Rev. Mr.

Bartholomew Griessen, the man gored by the bull at Short's dairy, is still in a precarious condition today.

More Horses at the Track.

Will Ewing, of Pilot Grove, came up to-day with six trotting horses

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which he will stable at the fair grounds for training.

Ed. Patterson, of New Palestine, Mo., also came in with two head which he will leave in competent hands for the same purpose.

A SEDALIA PRIZE FIGHT.

Two East Sedalia Fencers Fought Each Other Last Night.

A beastly prize-fight took place last night a short distance in the country east of town between a Missouri Pacific shopman and an East Sedalia hanger-on, both of whom are well known.

Great precautions were taken to keep the matter from the police. Three rounds were fought which was evidently sufficient to satisfy the would-be pugilists.

No arrests have been made.

TO THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Sedalia Rifles Will Participate in the Grand Military Display.

The Sedalia Rifles have been looking forward with great pleasure to the time when their company would be called upon to send its picked squad to the World's Fair at Chicago. Capt. H. C. Demuth has received notice from Colonel W. K. Caffee, of the Second regiment, stating that our fellow townsman, as ranking captain, would be in command of the company to be composed of picked men from the Sedalia, Carthage, Nevada and Joplin companies. One sergeant, a corporal and seventeen privates, a total of twenty, including Capt. Demuth, will go from Sedalia. There has already been considerable friendly rivalry aroused and the boys are getting down to hard work, as only the best men in the company will be taken.

Gov. David R. Francis and his staff, will be at the head of 600 of Missouri's crack militiamen. A provisional regiment will be formed of one colonel, one lieutenant colonel, two majors, one adjutant, one quartermaster, two surgeons, a non-commissioned staff, a band of forty pieces, a drum corps of twenty members, and eight companies of infantry, each consisting of one captain, two lieutenants, four sergeants, four corporals and sixty privates. Each of the four regiments of the state will furnish two companies.

Company Disbanded.

Miss Belmont, recently here with the Metropolitan Comedy Co., left for Chicago at noon after a short visit with friends. The company disbanded at Roanoke, Mo., last Monday night. Miss Paddock, with most of the people, is now in Chicago.

Governor Francis.

Governor D. R. Francis passed through this evening en route to Holden, where he delivers the prizes to-night at St. Cecilia's academy.

"Break, Break, Break!"

There are now five negroes employed at the city limestone quarry, ranging in age from 15 to 25 years. None of the sterner sex is represented.

Lots of Fun.

From the Kansas City Journal.

A potato race for girls, greased pig, climbing a greased pole, orations by young men, slow mule race, and recitation contest for young ladies are some of the amusements provided by the enterprising citizens of Mountain Grove for the Fourth of July.

Appropriate Food.

From the Denver Free Press.

Gazzam—"I suppose that the favorite vegetable of a duck is a mandrake."

Maddox—"And that of the hen chickweed, of course."

Gazzam—"It might be egg-plant."

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by a "right mean slap" in the face, Leonidas was in the depleted financial state and was sent to the heliometer or sun tannery yourself, known as the county jail.

An Old Journalist.

Col. Joseph Barnhurst, of Pine Bluff, Ark., arrived in the city last evening on a visit to his sister, Mrs. T. Hirst. Col. Barnhurst is a veteran newspaper man, having worked on some of the leading papers in the country.

Prior to going to Arkansas, which was done on account of failing health, he was connected with the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Tipton Horsemen.

A number of gentlemen were up from Tipton this morning looking over the kite track and expressing surprise that Sedalia had such marvelous racing facilities.

Among the gentlemen were Judge Alexander, J. W. Cole and Mr. Renshaw, all horsemen. It is probable that they will attend the matinee races next Saturday.

Resigned His Position.

A. W. Richardson, of the Forest park electric line, has resigned his position as mortormen and will commence working in the Missouri Pacific machine shops next Monday.

Mr. Richardson is succeeded by George Woodard, recently from the republic of Mexico.

Oxfords AND Slippers

New Styles.



New Styles.

Wm. COURTNEYS.

sr., and wife. They will remain about ten days fishing on the picturesque banks of Black water and sharpening their appetites for fried chicken by drinking the famous water at the springs.

They will be joined next Saturday by Dave Dodge and wife, Ernest Lamy and wife and George Edmonson and wife.

Police Court.

Two tramps were yanked up before Judge Rauck this morning for trespassing. Their names were Henry Aden and Geo. Jones. The charge of carrying concealed weapons also was preferred against the former and in addition to a \$5 fine for the first offense he was fined \$25 on the second charge.

Jones was likewise fined \$5 for trespassing. Both were ordered to leave the city.

He Posed as a Fighter.

Lon Venable, the notorious coon scrapper, withdrew his plea of not guilty before Judge Fisher this morning and was fined \$5 and costs for assault and battery upon the ebony carcass of Kittie Thompson, whom he attempted to annihilate

Marriage Licenses.

License to wed was granted the following to-day:

W. H. Harrison to Felicia Graves, both of Pettis county.

R. A. Stephens to Veda O'Bannon, both of Pettis county.

Jos. Rodges to Nettie Anderson, both of Pettis county.

R. N. Lower, Pettis county, to Anna J. McChesny, Lafayette county.

Leg Broken.

Chas. L. Turner, a little two-year-old boy living three miles west of town, had the misfortune to brake his leg this afternoon. He was playing in a barn when several sacks of wheat fell on him. His father came to town and secured the services of Dr. W. H. Evans.

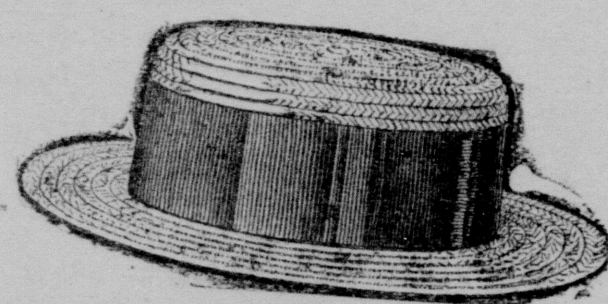
Wonderful Recovery.

Wm. Shahan, the painter, who fell from the 87-foot smoke-stack, is reported by his doctor as progressing famously. Were it not for his broken leg, Shahan could easily be walking around. The tar has been cleaned from his face and body, and he now looks like a new man.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. Alfred Dixon, of Chicago, is visiting her parents.

Ed. Farley, auditor on the Katy, went east this morning.

Mrs. Delos L. McComas, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. W. N. Tyson, of Crawfordville, Indiana.

Hon. Dick Dalton and Col. Lon V. Stephens were in town a short while this morning. From here they went south.

Hon. R. F. Walker, Secretary of State A. L. Lesueur, and Attorney-General John M. Wood were in the city last evening.

W. H. Burnett, of St. Louis, is visiting the families of his brother-in-law, John R. Barrett, and his sister, Mrs. D. H. Smith.

Noah Mohler and Miss Cora Perkins, of Bonaparte, Iowa, are the guests of Joseph Sewell and family, No. 230 West Pettis.

L. H. Alleman, an experienced and able foundryman, of Knoxville, Tenn., has accepted the foremanship of the Wells & Craven foundry.

Miss Minnie Black, after a pleasant visit with her friends, Misses Minnie and Emma Gottschalk, returned last evening to her home at Lookout, Mo.

C. W. Keyser, inspector of bridges and buildings on the Missouri Pacific, made a tour of inspection over the Sedalia, Warsaw & Southern to-day.

Louis P. Ames is up from Otterville to-day, for the first time since his severe illness. Louis looks quite thin, but his host of friends are glad to see him up again.

Judge H. C. Tindall came over from Howard county last evening, bringing with him another of his valuable animals, "Sam Fuller," named in honor of the famous jockey.

Dr. O. B. Caldwell and John R. Gentry donned their best and went to Sweet Springs this afternoon to attend the ball to-night. They propose to dance with all the pretty girls at the ball.

Miss Florine Verby, of Marshall, who has been the guest of Miss Mamie Mackey for a number of days, left yesterday afternoon for Sweet Springs, where she attended the ball last night.

Misses Stella Montgomery and Hatten McDonald attended the ball at Sweet Springs last evening. They will remain over until this evening to be present at the grand opening ball at the hotel.

Dr. Wm. Prottzman and wife passed through this morning, en route to Jefferson City from Sweet Springs, where the doctor preached the commencement sermon for Marmaduke Military academy.

John Voerge, of Brainard, Minn., now on the Northern Pacific, after a short visit with friends in the city, leaves for home this evening. Mr. Voerge was connected with the "Katy" at this point from 1868 to 1885.

Miss Bettie, a handsome and attractive young lady, daughter of Wm. L. Hill, of the New York Life Insurance Co., St. Louis, is visiting the family of her brother, W. C. Hill, the affable operator at the union depot.

Wilbur S. Jackson, formerly of Sedalia, and one of her best young men, was nominated for the office of prosecuting attorney of Benton county yesterday. Wilbur seems to be pushing things down in the kingdom of Warsaw.

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The EVENING DEMOCRAT.

"I would earnestly advise them for their good to order this paper to be punctually served up and to be looked upon as a part of the tea equipage."—ADDISON.

REMOVAL.

The DEMOCRAT to-day removed from the Equitable building to its new quarters, the Sampson building, 307 Ohio street. To anyone who has had experience in moving a printing office, no apologies are necessary for any short-comings.

In a few days, however, the DEMOCRAT will again be in shape, with the best equipped newspaper office Sedalia ever had, and will continue to publish what its friends are kind enough to designate as the best newspaper in Sedalia.

CONGRESSMAN HATCH's chances for nomination are said to be pretty fair in spite of the Republic's fight against him.

SOME of the republican leaders in St. Louis have never forgiven Filley for not getting mixed up with them in the old crooked whiskey ring.

THE lynchers who murdered Deputy Sheriff Williams in Tancy county are on the eve of joining the Bald Knobbers—in the penitentiary.

THERE is a great deal of time and money lost every year by bad roads in this country—enough to in a few years make good rock roads in every section where they are needed.

THE DEMOCRAT is for every meas- that will build up Sedalia. This includes, right up at the top of the list, road improvement in the county and street improvement in the city.

OUR third party friends have named their candidate for congress. Now who is to be the republican standard bearer? Or is the g. o. p. going to play "possum" in the campaign.

FROM the number of visitors said to be expected in Omaha on July 4th, the idea seems to have got out that all the members of the people's party are going to attend the national convention.

THE work of paving the principal streets should be pushed right along, but the cross streets also should receive considerable more attention. Many of these will do for years yet if paved with some cheap material. By doing this work much of the mud that frequently "adorns" some of the handsomest streets can be done away with.

"THERE is a negro killed every day in the year in the south," says Judge Tourgee. But isn't there a white man killed every day of the year in the north? Just take the negro population out of the south and turn them loose in the north

and the killings would go on just the same. There are no others in this country who would be so patient and forbearing toward the negro and get along with him so amicably as do the people of the old slave states. The best thing the real friends of the negro can do for him is to impress upon him the lessons of industry, economy and obedience to law—lessons that even the white race have not all learned perfectly yet.

THE *Globe-Democrat* apologizes editorially for the statement made previously in its report of the Lafayette county democratic convention that "resolutions instructing for Lesueur were carried in the face of the wildest opposition." The statement was so obviously false that it could deceive no one at all familiar with Missouri politics, as Secretary Lesueur is even more popular in Lafayette than he is in balance of the state—and that is putting as strong as it could be put, for he is the choice of all democrats. But the interesting feature of the apology is that the *G.D.* apologizes for having spoken falsely of a democrat. This testifies of a moral reformation that is as gratifying as it was unexpected, for for twenty years that paper has been happiest when falsely accusing democrats of crimes and misdemeanors. It is an old saying that "while the lamp holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return." The vilest sinner in this case has not exactly returned, but shows symptoms of having reformed.

THE DEMOCRAT learns from authoritative sources that Hon. T. J. Delaney, the talented Springfield lawyer and politician, will be pushed for the position of member of the democratic state committee from this congressional district. Greene county will ask for this honor at the hands of the party in the district, and the democrats of that county have prevailed upon Col. Delaney to make the race for the position. Without in any way disparaging the claims of any other candidate, the DEMOCRAT would bear cheerful testimony to Col. Delaney's zeal as a democrat. He is a type of the active, intelligent young democracy which redeemed what was a republican district and sent a democrat to congress. In Greene county the democrats have to fight for political supremacy and they always find Delaney in the thickest of the fight. He has an advantage in locality, too, as both the delegates to the Chicago convention were taken from the north end of the district.

Now, while Sedalia is growing so nicely, and while everybody feels confident as to the future, steps should be taken to make the prosperity of the city permanent by encouraging profitable manufacturing enterprises. Care should be taken that only such enterprises are encouraged as will become profitable, as it is poor economy to spend two dollars in producing one dollar's worth of wealth; but there are industries that can be profitably carried on here if set on their feet, and, while proving profitable to those engaged, at the same time indirectly benefit the whole city. The electric motor solves the problem of cheap power for many factories, and Sedalia can offer special inducements in this direction; then we have coal near at hand that can be furnished cheap, and there is no reason why there should not be a forward movement in manufacturing.

THE effort to make it appear that Col. Stone's democracy is unsound is one of the silliest of the many silly campaign stories that have been started by the too enthusiastic followers of the various candidates. Stone's record is so well known and his position on all public questions so thoroughly understood that to question his standing as a democrat is rank idiocy.

IF Sedalia business men and capitalists will just put into a fund to encourage manufacturing, one half the money offered for the university, enterprises could be put under way which would bring the city a boom it has never enjoyed before. It is the enterprising, pushing community which succeeds, as Sedalia has abundantly proven. But the energy must be always at work and the

pushing must never cease. Whenever "finished" is written of a town, "decay" will be found upon the next page of its history. Sedalia is by no means "finished." There is room here for a city of 100,000 inhabitants, and it will not require as hard work to reach that point as it has to build up the present town of 20,000.

THE Ninth congressional district—the old Seventh—may properly be called the "dark and bloody ground" of Missouri politics. In the last few years they have had some of the most stubborn fights ever known in Missouri politics, and one of the deadlocks was only broken by a "toss up." An exceedingly close contest for the nomination is now going on between Hon. Dick Norton, the present member, and Hon. Champ Clark. Crawford county has selected two set of delegates and both candidates claim the county. The Mexico *Ledger* urges Norton to refrain from pushing his claim to Crawford county lest the bitterness growing out of such contest shall injure the party; but to concede the county to Clark would give him the nomination, and Norton is hardly the man to do that if he thinks there is the slightest chance to win the fight himself.

HONEST, industrious, law-abiding negroes are not oppressed to any greater degree than are white men in any section of the country. If a man, white or black, is poor and ignorant he has a pretty hard lot in life; but the black man in the cotton field of the south is far better treated than is the white laborer in the Pennsylvania coal mines.

THE city fathers should by all means devise some plan by which they can raise revenue enough to warrant an increase in the police force. Marshal DeLong and the policemen are doing good work, but it is unreasonable to expect the present small force to very long properly police a city the size of Sedalia.

THE holders of the St. Clair county bonds offer to compromise by accepting \$400,000 in 4 per cent. 20 year bonds in exchange for \$900,000 of the old bonds. It is an unjust debt, but the contest injures the county every year much more than the interest on the bonds.

THE DEMOCRAT would like to see, sometime during the campaign in this state, a joint debate on public questions between the ablest champions of the contending parties. There are undecided voters who can be reached and won in this way.

ALONG about the second week in November some of the republican leaders who have grown so jealous of Chauncey I. Filley will wake up to a knowledge of the fact that they eliminated their shrewdest leader when they got rid of "de ole man."

IT goes without saying that the ball game for the benefit of the charity hospital will be largely attended. In the first place it will be a very interesting game, and in the second place the funds raised will go to a most deserving charity.

How Far do You Walk?

"I have just made a calculation of the distance I have walked since I have been in Sedalia," said a gentleman who had been prominent in business circles for many years, "and, not counting trips down town to attend church and the lodge occasionally, I find that I have walked over 25,000 miles—enough to have measured the distance around the world."

Twenty-five thousand miles is a long distance, but a man who walks a mile to his business in the morning, back to his dinner, then down town again after dinner and home for supper, with a few extra trips evenings and the usual amount of walking while attending to business during the day, will walk it in a few years.

To Measure Indians.

From the Kansas City Journal.
Dr. Lyman Hodgkins, of Boston, is registered at the Henrietta hotel. He is en route to the Indian territory. Dr. Hodgkins is house surgeon of the Samaritan hospital at Boston, and has been selected to take an anthropometric measurement of the Indians in order to determine who of the race are the nearest to physical perfection, that the finest specimens of these Indians may be taken to the World's Columbian exposition for exhibit.

A FISH STORY.

Originated by the Recent Flood and Related by a Howard County Man.

Col. Geo. D. Gibson, of Franklin, Howard county, passed through en route for Nevada, Mo., this morning where he goes to look after his real estate interests.

Col. Gibson is the mayor of Franklin, and though he has held that office two consecutive terms he has been called upon but twice to administer the law to offenders of the public peace.

Speaking of the recent overflow from which his section suffered so sorely and of which several thousand acres are even now submerged, the colonel related a singular fish story, which rivals many of Ovid's piscatorial narratives.

"When the water was highest in the bottoms," began Col. Gibson, "several of the boys secured a skiff and armed with gigs rowed over to a slough, where the finny tribe could be seen laving their shiny sides as if in great glee. After watching the denizens of the deep awhile, the sportsmen who stood in the skiff with uplifted gig ready to spear the first fish that made its appearance, were startled by the shout of a lad on the shore: 'Look out—there he comes!' screamed the lad frantically.

Turning around in the direction indicated, a huge water moccasin was seen heading for the skiff. So frightened became the fishermen that they dropped their weapons, leaped into the water and began to pull vigorously for dry land, reaching which in safety and looking back, they saw sure enough that the huge monster had piled himself into the skiff.

Some hunters came along presently and the reptile was dispatched in short order. The remarkable part of the story comes now—remarked the colonel, "for on being cut open, the snake was found to contain a catfish that weighed ten pounds; and this is what made it look so frightful."

WORKING THE NEGRO

Predicting a War of Races in this Country.

Judge Albion W. Tourgee thinks the exigencies of the campaign warrant an appeal to stir up the negroes and those sentimental people who think the negro race is oppressed, and in a recent interview said:

"If there is not a marked change in the attitude of the country towards the colored race, we shall have within the next ten years a massacre such as has not been paralleled since the French revolution. The gravity of the danger which threatens us is not appreciated. I am amazed that the negro has been so patient under the intense persecution which he has had to endure.

"Since the proclamation of emancipation there have been more colored men murdered by whites in the south than there have been days in all the years that have elapsed. And yet of that fearful array of crimes justice has only avenged four. Just think of it. The persecution which is showered upon the negro in the south knows no amelioration. The Christian church indorsed slavery and has transmitted to its adherents that hatred of the race."

Judge Tourgee also expressed the opinion warmly that the republican party was not doing its duty toward the colored man.

The Park.

Go out to the park and enjoy a game of tenpins.

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Arrive. Leave.
No. 193 Colorado Exp's, 5:05 a. m. 5:35 p. m.
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No. 197 Local Freight, 10:55 a. m.

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Losses by Fire at Baltimore Nearly That Amount.

STARTED THE AFTERNOON.

Business Lively on Dock and River When Conflagration Discovered—Spontaneous Combustion in the Cotton.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 15.—One of the largest fires that ever visited the water front of Baltimore started a few minutes after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon on the Old Bay line at the foot of Union dock.

The loss, as near as can be estimated, is nearly \$1,000,000.

It was just the busiest time of the day, and steamers, schooners and tugs were plying the river in all directions. The fine Old Bay line steamer Virginia was anchored at the wharf and the freight steamer Gaston was beside her. A four masted schooner belonging to the Cochran-Oler lee Co. was close to the right side of the wharf. The freight shed of the Bay line was fully stocked with wines, whisky and general merchandise consigned to foreign firms.

The fire is thought to have originated in the cotton by spontaneous combustion. Quick as a flash the flames spread. Intense excitement reigned along the entire water front. The bay line wharf was totally destroyed. It was about 500 feet long and 200 feet water front. The wharf stood on a large warehouse, a big laundry and a newly erected office building. Before the schooner Carolina and the Gaston could be towed from the wharf they were badly damaged. Lying at Cochran-Oler's wharf, just southeast of the burning pier, were the fine four masted ice schooners, Wesley, Oler, Mamie Howard and William Wirt. The flames caught in the rigging of the Oler, and then the other schooner, eating at the masts and sails. Tugs were quickly on hand and towed the burning vessels to safety. The streams from the tugs were turned on the schooners and the flames were quickly conquered, but not until considerable damage had been done.

Lying at the Cochran-Oler wharf just north of the three schooners was the four masted schooner Augustus Welt. A sheet of flame shot from the burning wharf, and soon the schooner Welt was a mass of flames. Her rigging and cordage were burned away, her masts and hull charred and the new and handsome vessel was soon a blackened wreck. Four of the sailors were on the cross trees when the fire broke out and they hastily scrambled to deck. They lost their effects which were in the banks. The estimated damage to the schooner is \$25,000; insured by the individual owners. The ice is valued at \$4 a ton, of which there were 1,000 tons on board. Two barges laden with cotton were moored to the Bay Line wharf and before relief could reach them the cotton was a loss and the barges burned.

All around the Bay Line wharf were warehouses, stored with tons of the most inflammable material, and the firemen worked like beavers to prevent a spread of the flames. The heat at times was distressing and many of the firemen were compelled to strip to their skin. Many of them were exhausted by the heat.

During a portion of the time the work was impeded by streams of molten resin that flooded the streets and ran into the water. At the office of the Bay Line Co. the officers were unable to state definitely the loss. "We cannot tell what is the loss," said Treasurer Bell, "because we don't know what was on the wharf. We do know, however, that there were 5,000 bales of cotton there, worth from \$40 to \$50 a bale, and 1,000 barrels of whisky, worth from \$60 to \$75 a barrel. The whisky came from the People's Warehouse Co., of Louisville, Ky. The other freight and our wharf property will bring the loss up to nearly \$1,000,000. The insurance was placed by Franklin Dubois, of New York, and I can't begin to tell the amount. I know we always carry a very good line of insurance."

A DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Bert McCormick and Peter Brennan Kill Each Other at Arkansas City, Kan. ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., June 15.—For several days Mrs. Bert McCormick, wife of a wealthy cattleman and ranch owner, had been visiting in this city. Peter Brennan, of Kingfisher, Ok., formerly in McCormick's employ, was in her society almost incessantly, and boasted yesterday of his conquest. A friend of McCormick heard of the boast and sent word to the latter, who immediately came to the city. At 9:30 o'clock he went to the room of his wife and opened the door unceremoniously. Brennan, undressed, was lying on the bed, and his wife he saw in the room, also undressed.

Without a word McCormick commenced shooting. He only wounded Brennan at the first shot, and then stopped and commenced to curse him. Brennan reached for his revolver, and then both opened fire. Brennan was shot three times and McCormick twice. Both died almost instantly. Mrs. McCormick managed to escape to an adjoining room, where she was afterward arrested.

McCormick had but a few days ago placed a \$15,000 insurance policy on his life in favor of his wife and children. McCormick was about 35 years old and his wife about 25.

Arrested for Shooting.

SENECA, Kan., June 15.—Charles Axel, a young man from Goffs, this county, has been placed in jail here for shooting one William Cobb at a country dance on Saturday night. Cobb was shot in the left arm, the ball ranging up to the shoulder, shattering the bone so that it had to be taken out for four inches. The ball could not be found. Axel's bond was placed at \$2,000, which he is unable to give.

The party of students from the Northwestern university, Chicago, thought to have been lost, returned safely.

DEATH OF A CONGRESSMAN.

Representative Stackhouse, of South Carolina, Stricken Very Suddenly.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Gen. Eli T. Stackhouse, member of congress from the Sixth district of South Carolina, and a prominent member of the Farmer's Alliance, died in this city at half past 1 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Stackhouse was one of the party which accompanied the remains of the late Col. L. L. Polk, president of the Farmer's Alliance, to Raleigh, N. C., last Saturday and returned to Washington yesterday morning, went over to the house of representatives, which is only one block from his residence and at 2 o'clock went home to luncheon. He complained of a slight attack of indigestion, but seemed to be in good spirits. He remained at home for awhile but returned to the house before the adjournment of that body.

Representative Cate, of Arkansas, was called to the rooms of Mr. Stackhouse at midnight and was told that he was dying. A physician was immediately summoned, but before his arrival Mr. Stackhouse was dead. The only persons at his bedside when he died were his son and Representative Cate. His remains will be taken to Little Rock, S. C., to-morrow for interment. The assistant sergeant-at-arms of the house has been notified of Mr. Stackhouse's death (the sergeant-at-arms being absent from the city) and will make arrangements for the funeral.

The desk formerly occupied by Mr. Stackhouse in the house was heavily draped this morning and after some minor work Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina, announced the death of his colleague and offered resolutions (which were adopted) expressive of the sorrow of the house and providing for a committee of members and senators to take order in regard to the funeral. The speaker appointed the following committee on the part of the house: Messrs. Tillman, Latham, Cate, Lewis, Shell, Jolly and Waugh. The house then adjourned.

The session of the senate was only long enough to receive a message from the house announcing the death of Mr. Stackhouse and to adopt resolutions (offered by Mr. Butler) of sorrow and providing for a committee of five senators to escort the body to its place of burial. The senators appointed were Butler, Kyle, White, Gallinger and Allen.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY FEET.

The Distance a Freight Train Dropped Through a Trestle in Kentucky.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., June 15.—A freight train occurred at the trestle spanning Lonesome Hollow, near here, yesterday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock. Freight engine No. 10, with sixteen loaded box cars, went through, one on top of the other. The distance from the top of the trestle to the ground below is 250 feet.

The engineer, Frank Sargent, Fireman Henry Slater and Conductor Duckworth were killed outright. The north-bound passenger train with 100 passengers was only saved by being one-half hour late. A special from this place went to the scene of the wreck and brought back the dead and the wounded.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Placed.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Boston	48	33	13 729
Brooklyn	46	31	15 574
Cincinnati	49	28	21 571
Philadelphia	48	26	22 542
Chicago	47	25	22 532
Cleveland	48	25	25 559
New York	47	24	24 469
Pittsburgh	50	23	27 469
Washington	46	20	25 435
Louisville	47	20	27 426
St. Louis	49	17	32 347
Baltimore	47	14	33 298
WESTERN LEAGUE.			
Placed.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Columbus	41	23	13 727
Milwaukee	34	23	11 679
Kansas City	39	20	19 513
Toledo	36	18	18 500
Omaha	39	18	21 462
Minneapolis	32	13	19 406
Port Wayne	35	12	23 343
Indianapolis	30	7	22 333

Tuesday's Baseball.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Baltimore—Baltimore, 18; Louisville, 9.
New York—New York, 9; Cleveland, 6.
Boston—Boston, 11; Cincinnati, 6.
Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Pittsburgh, 4.
Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 9; Chicago, 0.
Washington—Washington, 12; St. Louis, 7.

WESTERN LEAGUE.
Kansas City—Kansas City, 21; Fort Wayne, 7.
Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 9; Columbus, 3.
Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 9; Toledo, 3.
Omaha—Omaha, 3; Indianapolis, 2.

The Typographical Union.
PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—The convention of the International Typographical union met yesterday. President William R. Prescott made an address, after which the roll of delegates was called. A protest was entered against the seating of John D. Vaughn, of union No. 317, Creede, Col., and also several others. These unions had not fully paid up an extra assessment levied. Committees were then announced and the convention adjourned. The meeting was followed by a parade with about 1,200 men in line.

Bound Over at Guthrie, Ok.

GUTHRIE, Ok., June 15.—A deputy sheriff brought Hi Holley, the young negro charged with assaulting Mrs. Charles Moore, down from Wichita yesterday afternoon, and he was given a preliminary hearing in the sheriff's office. The examination was waived and the prisoner bound over to the district court, and in default of \$2,000 bond was taken back to jail. Mrs. Moore was present and identified the prisoner as her assailant. No demonstrations were made by the crowd on the street.

Fatally Shocked at a Hanging.

HENTSVILLE, Tex., June 15.—Loc Ennis, a young colored woman who witnessed the hanging of Alf White on Saturday, fainted when the drop fell and died late that night from the effects of the shock.

The Minneapolis nominations were ratified by the Missouri republican club at Kansas City.

THE ILLINOIS STORM.

A Portion of Knox County Suffered Severely.

PARTICULARS OF GALVA'S DISASTER.

Losses There Are Estimated at \$800,000—Only One Killed, But a Number Injured—Cars Blown Off the Track—Incidents.

GALESBURG, Ill., June 15.—There passed through the northeastern part of this, Knox county, about 8 o'clock Monday evening, a most destructive tornado, and ruin was left all along its path. It seems to have first made its appearance northwest of Galva. About 7:30 o'clock threatening clouds were noticed in the west approaching one another and the tornado is thought to have resulted from their junction.

Its course was south and east through that city and the main body of the storm passed along the main business street. It came with such suddenness that the citizens had no time in which to fly to places of safety. In the Free Methodist church there was assembled a congregation. In the rink there was gathering a committee for a Fourth of July celebration. The church was quickly a mass of ruins and the congregation was imprisoned.

A number were injured, one dangerously. The rink was blown down, but those inside managed to escape without injury. Had the storm come a few moments later many would have been in this building and loss of life would surely have resulted.

The storm was accompanied by midnight darkness and an awful sweep of wind that carried everything before it. Nearly every business house along the principal street was unroofed and the stocks of goods were badly damaged by the floods of water following the tornado.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy roundhouse was totally wrecked. The G. W. Barnett elevator, near by was unroofed and 10,000 bushels of grain deluged with water.

The Rock Island depot went next. The tall steeple of the Baptist church was cut off as clean as if by a knife and was hurled into the street. The Congregational church was also badly injured.

The saddest feature occurred at August Olson's house. There were in the house at the time Mr. and Mrs. Olson, Charles Olson and four others. The residence suddenly collapsed, killing Mr. Olson instantly and the others escaped by a miracle.

The place yesterday was in a state of demoralization. Business was completely suspended, the streets were filled with debris of every description. The stores were more or less in ruins. Hardly a residence but what will need repairs.

The damage is estimated at \$800,000. Considering the number of buildings wrecked, it is surprising that there was not greater loss of life. Mr. Olson was the only one killed. The injured are as follows: George Erickson, hip injured and arm broken; Mrs. Albert Erickson, hurt internally; Mrs. John Erickson, hurt in back and head; Mrs. Herman Anderson, hurt internally; Mr. and Mrs. Noah Yarger, slightly injured; O. M. Hempstead, hurt about head; Ernest Erickson, leg broken; Albert Erickson, hurt internally; Hulda Carlson, leg broken; Nellie Moline, hurt internally. The damage done to buildings outside those mentioned was as follows: Johnson & Bros., carriage warehouse, unroofed; Butler & Ober, building unroofed; Hayes' pump and planter factory, damaged \$4,000 and store destroyed; C. H. Brook, dwelling house one mile west of Galva, struck by lightning and burned; city hall and First National bank unroofed.

This enumeration does not include the damage done to private property. The trees in Washington and Central parks were broken and uprooted, and the parks were ruined beyond redemption. The velocity of the wind was extraordinary; cars were blown from the tracks. The top of a freight car was blown off. A car of stock was pushed along the track and off the switch. Windows all over town were blown in.

A Chicago, Burlington & Quincy freight train was halted on Neponset hill, and the engineer describes the storm as the worst he ever encountered. South of Galva a large tree was plucked up by the roots and carried sixty feet. The southeast part of Galva suffered most severely.

After leaving Galva, the tornado went on a southeasterly direction, according to some, following Walnut creek.

At Altoona the roar of the storm could be plainly heard and was fearful. Northeast three barns were blown down and lighter dwellings forced from their foundations, fences blown away, orchards prostrated and ruined and crops leveled. Claus Peterson's house was blown away and G. H. Cole's barn was blown to pieces.

When the wind struck Claus Peterson's residence it performed a curious operation, cutting it in two.

The storm in the vicinity of Lafayette is said to have been severe. But the damage was less than farther north.

It was in the Free Methodist church in Galva that most of those injured were hurt. This old building is in the southeast part of town. A large congregation was assembled. Nearly all escaped.

Nellie Moline, Mrs. John Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Erickson, George Erickson, Hulda Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Erickson and Mr. Sherman Anderson were not quick enough and were either buried in the debris or stricken by flying timbers. Albert Erickson, although injured, returned to the church and rescued his brother George, who was buried under a mass of rubbish and would have soon been smothered. The edifice was reduced to kindling wood.

A ratification of the nominees of the Minneapolis convention was held at Parker, Kan.

THE CHEROKEE STRIP.

Salient Features of the New Bill Opening the Land to Settlement.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The bill opening the Cherokee strip to settlement, which the committee on Indian affairs reported favorably to the house yesterday, differs very much from Chairman Peel's bill, which he first introduced. Concerning it, Mr. Peel said to a correspondent:

"The committee suggested I report just such a bill as I thought best, and when I gave the matter attention I made many changes and backed it with a report which I am proud of. I have blocked all sojourners, land grabbers, town lot grabbers, claim jumpers and have made it possible for an honest homeseeker to get a home without being disturbed by this class of individuals. No person can take a claim who has ever taken a claim any place else, unless he lost such claim by contest.

"The president is required to give thirty days' notice before opening to settlement, and any one going on the land before the date fixed not only forfeits all right, but is subject to fine and imprisonment, and government officials are prohibited from locating on land. Any one attempting to take land who is not legally entitled to is subject to fine and imprisonment.

"It is opened to homestead settlers only, and they are allowed to make payment of one-half at the end of the second year and one-half at the end of the fourth year. The east one-third is sold to the settlers for \$2.50 per acre; the middle third, \$1.50 per acre, and the west third, \$1 per acre. This is to reimburse the government for money paid the Indians.

"The bill provides that before the country is opened to settlement the president shall appoint a commission to locate all county seats, survey all towns into lots and blocks and appraise the same. When the country is opened to settlement these lots are sold to the highest bidders at public auction. The proceeds are turned over to the county treasurer in the respective counties to be placed in the school fund."

The bill has nothing to say about creating new land offices, and Mr. Peel expressed the opinion that the business could be done at Guthrie and Kingfisher. The bill will now go upon the house calendar and be called up possibly within a month.

Mr. Peel leaves in a few days for Arkansas to look after political matters and says he is assured by the committee on rules that he will be given time as soon as he returns for the consideration of the bill. While in Arkansas a few weeks ago looking after a re-nomination he found a strong feeling in favor of opening the strip to settlement. This caused him to take the matter up and place it before the house. He says it will pass the house with little opposition and meet with practically no opposition in the senate.

IT WAS ILLEGAL.

Important Decision in an Oleomargarine Case.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 15.—Judge Bond, of the United States circuit court, has rendered an important opinion in the case of Charles E. McAllister, the alleged agent of Bruu & Fitts, oleomargarine manufacturers of Chicago, who sought his release from the custody of the state authorities. Judge Bond holds that the arrest was illegal, and discharges the prisoner. Mr. McAllister was arrested under the Maryland law relating to the sale of oleomargarine. The judge, in reviewing the case, said: "That a person may import an article from a foreign country or one of the states of the union, and sell it in the condition in which it was imported, is not to be disputed now after a long line of decisions by the supreme court. A state may regulate the sale or storage of articles dangerous to the health of the city, but it cannot prohibit the importation. The laws of the United States recognize oleomargarine as a mercantile article. Being such, while a state may perhaps regulate its sale, it cannot prohibit its importation. The statute in question does this, and it is unconstitutional in this respect and void. The petitioner is discharged."

A Dowry Collected By Law.

LINCOLN, Neb., June 15.—A curious case came up in the district court yesterday. Two years ago Rachel Madowink, a well-to-do Bohemian, had a wayward daughter whom she desired married. Among her acquaintances was Max Coonsky, to whom she offered \$2,500 if he would marry Freda. Max was willing, so was the pretty Freda, and a contract was entered into for the payment of the money. The wedding took place, but the dowry was not paid. Max thereupon entered suit. The mother claimed that it was contingent upon the sale of certain property, but the court found for plaintiff.

Homoeopaths in Convention.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The American institute of homoeopathy convened to-day. The opening session was largely devoted to routine business matters. The constitution was amended by unanimous vote, so as to provide for two vice-presidents. The question of taking steps to have homoeopathy represented at the exposition was discussed by a large number of members and the whole matter was referred to a committee.

An Insane Mother's Triple Crime.

BAY CITY, Mich., June 15.—Mrs. George Beandry, of South Bay City, this morning went with George and Victoria, the youngest of her family of five, to the river, pushed the boy in and seeing a man coming down the street jumped in herself with the girl in her arms. All were drowned.

May Breadstuffs Exports.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—During May the value of exports of breadstuffs from the United States was \$19,410,394 against \$12,330,231 in May 1891; of provisions, \$10,501,592, against \$7,068,000 in 1891, and of mineral oils, \$3,371,925, against \$3,585,276 in May of 1891.

Rachel Poliant, an Austrian immigrant, was taken from the Dutch steam-boat Caland yesterday a blighted with small-pox and placed in the hospital at North Brother's island, New York harbor.

NO WITNESSES.

An Inquest on the Mare Island Victims.

NOTHING NEW WAS DEVELOPED.

No Direct Testimony Obtainable, Thirteen of Those Who Were at the Scene of the Explosion Being Dead—All Buried at the Same Time.

VALLEJO, Cal., June 15.—An inquest was held on the bodies of the men of the United States steamship Boston, who were killed in the explosion at Mare island. Nothing new was developed, as there was no one to give direct testimony, thirteen of those who were at the scene of the explosion being dead. A verdict of accidental death was found for all. The inquest was held in Vallejo hospital, to which all the bodies had been taken. George Rittlinger, the gunner who was killed, was a young man in the service and during his short stay at the station became a favorite in local society, both of Mare island and Vallejo. He assumed duty on the Boston February 2, 1892. He was appointed from Pennsylvania in October, 1890. A great feeling of gloom has prevailed here since the catastrophe. Flags are at half mast and a political mass meeting which was to have been held last night was postponed.

J. Briscoe, one of the surviving victims of the disaster, died at 1 o'clock yesterday. The funeral of the victims was postponed until 5 o'clock, that all might be buried together. The funeral was a sad and imposing one and was participated in by the entire naval forces at Mare island. The services were held at the naval hospital. The bodies were loaded on carriages all in plain coffins, which were draped with flags and covered with floral emblems of every variety.

Just before the funeral procession left the hospital a lady from San Francisco, leaning on the arm of C. W. Woods, went to where the body of the apprentice, Harlow, was lying and wept bitterly. She was a relative of the dead man.

Chaplain Lewis, U. S. N., conducted the services. The marine corps fired three volleys and the remains of the fifteen victims were consigned to dust. The funeral was one of the saddest that ever took place at Mare island, not excepting the victims of the Samoan disaster.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

An earthquake shock lasting nearly thirty seconds was felt at Santa Ana, Cal., yesterday. The vibrations were from east to west.

The democratic convention of the Third Kentucky district met at Glasgow and by acclamation nominated Hon. I. H. Goodnight for re-election.

Attempts are being made to bring the Venezuela revolution to a close. It is reported that the adherents of Palacio have made an offer to Gen. Crespo.

Harper S. Cunningham has been appointed receiver for the National bank of Guthrie, Ok. The bank went into liquidation some time ago. It had a paid up capital of \$100,000.

United States Consul A. Willard, at Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico, died there of paralysis, aged 67. He was a native of Connecticut and had been in the consular service for about thirty years.

A one-fare round trip from all points in Kansas, Nebraska, Indian territory and Oklahoma territory to Kansas City, Mo., was ordered by the Transmissouri Passenger association during the Priests of Pallas festivities there.

Train robbers were

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Judge Western District—H. CONWAY.
Sheriff—JAMES S. HOPKINS.
Collector—MICHAEL DOHERTY.
Treasurer—JOSEPH S. HUGHES.
County Attorney—W. D. STEELE.
Coroner—EMIL MUEHL.
Surveyor—T. O. STANLEY.
Assessor—J. M. LOGAN.
Administrator—J. R. CLOPTON.
Constable—W. D. WALLACE.

WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours Ending 3 O'Clock
P. M., June 15, 1892, Taken
by C. G. Taylor.

Wind	Cloudiness	Temperature	Precipitation
	in tenths.	Max. Min.	in inches.
S	5	93° 68°	0.00

Barometer 28.81.

Weather for Missouri for twenty-four
hours beginning at 8 a. m., this morning:
Warmer and fair during Wednesday and
Thursday.

From the Shah's Dominion.

Rev. John W. Wright, who has
served fourteen years as a mission-
ary in Persia, arrived home yester-
day and will visit his brother, F. L.
Wright, cashier of the Smithton
bank, a short time before his return
to the land of the Shah. He attended
the recent meeting of the Presbyte-
rian church at Portland, Oregon.

Don't Miss It.

Go out and see the baby deer at
Forest park.

Dr. Wilson has removed his
dental office and is now over Ilgen-
ritz's hardware store.

"Quick Meal" stoves are the
best.

Thousands of Cattle.

The trainmen on the M., K. & T.
are being rushed at a rate that al-
lows but little rest. The cattle fed
on cotton seed and corn are being
sent to the northern markets from the
south and the shipments are said to
be unusually fine. One freight
conductor has already placed \$60
to his credit on about twelve days'
running.

The grass fed cattle have not yet
commenced to move, but will start
in about a month.

Wanted.

Twenty-five tie makers. Apply
at one to R. H. Harris' coal office
218 Osage street, Sedalia, Mo.

"Jewett" refrigerators are the
best.

Epworth League Codvention.

Quite a number of delegates to
the Epworth League convention of
the Methodist Episcopal church
which meets at Appleton city,
passed through this morning.
Among these noticed by a DEMO-
CRAT reporter were Rev. T. Lewis,
of Knobnoster, Rev. Wm. Creomer,
of Malta Bend, and Messrs. John
Slusher and Wm. Wilson, of John-
son county.

A contingent from Sedalia will
go down to-day.

Stood on Its Head.

A rather wild west scene took
place last evening in front of
Fleischmann's drug store on Ohio
street. A mustang pony escaped from

one of Wright & Son's butcher boys,
and after running north on Ohio
street a short distance turned in on
to the court house yard.

As it ran on to the smooth pave-
ment at the corner of Ohio and
Fourth, its feet slipped and it was
thrown headlong to the sidewalk.
Its head struck the wheels of a de-
livery wagon, and so great was the
horse's speed, its hind feet were
thrown almost into the wagon.

The fiery steed finally scrambled
to its feet, bleeding profusely at the
nostrils, but did not appear other-
wise to be injured.

IMPORTANT POSITION.

W. K. Maxwell Receives a Responsi-
ble Railroad Office.

W. K. Maxwell arrived this
morning from Parsons and will in
future make Sedalia his headquar-
ters, having been appointed to the
position of general baggagemaster
for the M., K. & T., Vice W. W.
Campbell resigning to accept a
similar place with the Texas and
Pacific. The position is quite an
important one and Mr. Maxwell is
to be congratulated. It is particu-
larly gratifying to his many friends
here to know that he will live in
Sedalia. Mr. Maxwell is an old
experienced railroader having been
in the service for years. He was
formerly passenger conductor on the
south end.

A. O. U. W. Election.

East Sedalia lodge, No. 170, A.
O. U. W., at their regular meeting
last night, elected the following
officers for the ensuing term:

A. M. Mitchum, master work-
man.

A. E. Gardner, foreman.
F. L. Moore, overseer.
E. H. Heaton, recorder.
W. M. Slagle, financier.
C. E. Newell, receiver.
J. R. Berry, guide.
Jno. Burke, inside watchman.
Paul Barthoux, outside watch-
man.

S. U. Hurst and W. A. Staley,
trustees.

Medical examiners, all the doc-
tors in the city who are in good
standing in the order.

At the Hospital.

The late admissions to the M.,
K. & T. hospital are:
C. Maltby, fenceman, Checotah;
pleurisy with effusion.

Chas. Matthews, section laborer,
Smithville; contusion and abrasion
of back and right shoulder.

Wm. Kuyler, coal heaver, Atoka;
wrenched back.

T. Z. Williams, engineer, Deni-
son; amputation left middle and
ring fingers.

C. H. Hardleston, brakeman,
Denison; wrenched back.

Columbus Parr, extra gang, Cad-
do Mills; dysentery.

James Earhart, section laborer,
Wagoner; dysentery.

She Didn't Wear Any Socks at All.

Everyone has heard of "Sock-
less" Jerry Simpson, of Kansas,
but it is seldom that a bare-footed
woman is seen viewing the sights in
Sedalia and getting the vertigo from
looking at the brass ball on top of
the court house.

A woman weighing about 200
pounds and carrying a child in her
arms, stood working the mud be-
tween her toes as the street sprin-
kler passed along this morning and
evidently regretting that the water
was not knee deep. The butterfly
city damsels thought it "fetchingly
humorous."

Attending a Funeral.

Officer Eckles is off duty to-
day attending the funeral of his
father-in-law, Mr. Highley, who
was buried at Sweet Springs this
afternoon.

He Was Acquitted.

Peter Rafters, a stone mason, was
acquitted in Justice Blair's court
to-day on the charge of abandon-
ing his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackey Return.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mackey re-
turned at noon from their bridal
tour in the far west. They report a
most delightful time.

RECITAL.

Graduating Exercises of Ruth Ann School of Music and Art.

The vast auditorium and even the
left wing of the Christian church
were crowded last night with Se-
dalia's select to enjoy a musical re-
cital given by the pupils under the
auspices of the Ruth Ann school
of Music and Art.

They were assisted by pupils of
Miss Gallie. Miss Shock was the
pianist.

The music was vocal and instru-
mental, and each particular piece
was performed so admirably that
it was encored with enthusiasm,
though a mere acknowledgment of
the compliment was all the audience
received from the musicians.

The order of exercises was as
follows:

PROGRAM.	
Mendelssohn.....	1890-1847
Concerto in G. Minor, Op. 25, 2nd 3rd	
movements. (Orchestral parts sup-	
plied by 2nd piano.)	
Barnby.....	1837
Trio (a. Wind of the Western Sea.	
b. Come May.	
Misses Anna, Alice and Nettie Mertz.	
Schubert.....	1797-1828
Impromptu—Op. 172, No. 3.	
Meyerbeer.....	1791-1828
Song—"Child of the Sun"—from	
"L'Africaine."	
Miss Beulah Harris.	
Chopin.....	1809-1847
(a. Nocture, Op. 32, No. 1.	
b. Waltz in C Sharp Minor.	
Donizetti.....	1787-1848
Trio—"Life Hath no Power"—from	
"Belshazzar."	
Miss Miles, Messrs. Brewster and	
Kennedy.	
Liszt.....	1811-1886
Rhapsodie Hongroise, No. 12.	

Each who participated in the ex-
ercises covered himself or herself
with glory and reflected most credi-
tably on those from whom they re-
ceived instruction. It is by far
from being disparaging to the others
who took part to say that perhaps
the trio by the Misses Mertz was
best received of all.

Miss Laura Shock was the young
lady graduate. Miss Shock has de-
veloped much musical ability as a
pianist. She is a close, pains-tak-
ing, critical student, and her friends
have great confidence in her future.

The exercises of the school will
be concluded Thursday evening.

Bad Roads.

Ex-Governor Glick of Kansas.

A distinguished author, writing on
the subject of "Public Highways,"
said: "The country highway is the
great barrier that stands to-day in
front of progress, both natural and
intellectual, for the agricultural
population." The writer had in
view the muddy, rough and un-
drained highways, with all the at-
tendant expenses, drawbacks and
discomforts entailed by bad or un-
improved roads. With the general
condition of the public highways,
as they generally exist, he certainly
states the case mildly.

Not Art.

From the Pittsburg Chronicle.

Dinwiddie (sitting at his friend's
fireside)—"I don't call this an ar-
tistic chimney."

Shingiss (who is rather proud of
some exquisite tile work about the
mantel)—"You don't. What's
wrong with it?"

Dinwiddie—"It doesn't draw
well."

Wealth and Art.

From the Star-Sayings.

Having added another pork pack-
ing establishment to "the laurels
upon her brow," Kansas City is
now yearning for an art school.

For Sale.

A two-horse power boiler and
engine in first-class running order,
nearly new, for sale at a bargain.

Inquire at M. G. Ingram's print-
ing office, 307 Ohio street.

Can He Do It?

Billy Brown, the well known clerk
at Seher's, has concluded that the
intense strain that he is compelled
to undergo is liable to fracture his
constitution and has decided to
take his vacation and visit his pa-
rents at Withers' Mill, near Hanni-
bal.

He will spend his spare time
fishing on the Sny, drinking red
lemonade and telling Sunday school

stories. He has a number of feats
that he intends to perform before
his veterans, which will consist of
walking across the Mississippi on
stilts, jumping headlong from the
Hannibal bridge and telling the
truth when he catches a two-inch
catfish, instead of saying that alone
and unaided he caught 100 four
pound bass in six hours.

WILL WEAR STRIPES.

Six Prisoners From Jackson County En Route to the Penitentiary.

Six prisoners, four whites and
two blacks, chained in pairs, passed
through at 10:40 over the main line
of the Pacific this morning en route
from Jackson county for Jefferson
City where they will be shorn of
their locks and beards, dressed in
stripes and put to work as convicts.
The white men will average three
years each for burglary and larceny.

Their names were Chas. Gibbons,
Max Brock, Tom Hunter and Chas.
Martin. The negroes were Frank
Harris, who will work 10 years for
attempted rape, and Thos. Taylor,
who goes up two years for being
particeps criminis in a theft.

The prisoners were in charge of
Deputy County Marshals J. B.
McGowan and Halpin.

Case Appealed.

The case of John A. Logan, who
was implicated in the Messerly-
Ferrell fight May 20th, came up be-
fore Judge Rauck this morning,
the charge being that of peace dis-
turbance.

The defense was represented by
Hon. P. H. Sangree, while Hon. W.
D. Steele appeared for the prosecu-
tion. Both sides having been heard,
a fine of \$7.50 and costs was as-
sessed against the defense.

An appeal was taken to the crim-
inal court.

It will be remembered that Mr.
Logan at first plead guilty and was
fined \$7, but later on he was pre-
vailed upon to withdraw the plea.

Last Sad Rites.

The body of Warner Weigard,
the young man who died in the
mountains of New Mexico several
days since, arrived from the south
this morning.

Funeral services were held at 10
o'clock at the Episcopal church.
Among those present from a dis-
tance who attended the funeral
were: Mrs. M. L. Robbins, of
Houston, Tex., mother of deceased,
and Theodore Shelton, an uncle, of
St. Louis. Deceased was also a
nephew of V. B. Shelton, living in
the north part of the county.

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For sale by Aug. Fleischmann.

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Take Your Choice.

In W. H. Ramsey's book store
window can be seen a large display
of bound books with a display card
on which are the words: "Your
choice of books for 22 cents or 5
for \$1." This is certainly a great
bargain and the DEMOCRAT will be
surprised if Mr. Ramsey does not
not have a big trade on books this
week.

ST. JOHN'S DAY.

Special Train to Clinton, Mo.

FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1892.

St. John's day will be celebrated by Masonic Fraternity of Clinton,
Mo., and the corner stone of the new court house will be laid under the
auspices of the Grand lodge of the state of Missouri on that day, to
which all Masons are fraternally invited.

In order that Masons and their families, and all others of Sedalia
who desire to attend the ceremonies at Clinton, a

SPECIAL TRAIN

Will be run upon that day from Sedalia to Clinton, returning the
same evening.

Train leaves Sedalia 8:30 a. m. and arriving at Clinton 10 a. m.

Fare from Clinton and return, \$1.00.

Tickets for sale at Fleischmann's drug store, Dexter's book store and
by the committee. Tickets good only on special train.

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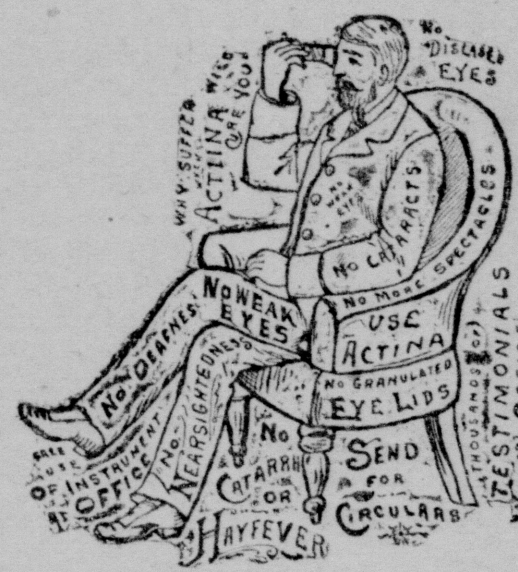
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